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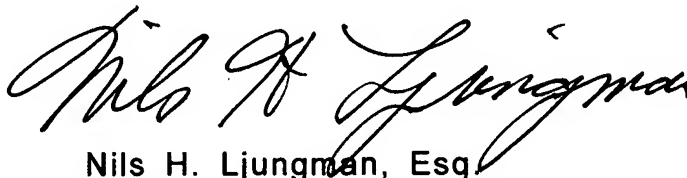
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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION OF U.S. PATENT
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Sir:

It appears that when the above-cited case was printed as a patent by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office printer, numerous typographical errors occurred in the printing.

Specifically, in column 10, line 60, after '10c', delete "1c" and insert --11c--. Evidence supporting this correction can be found in the application which was filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark

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Office on January 13, 2004, page 23, line 5.

Further, in column 11, line 25, after 'rail', delete "1b." and insert --11b.--. Evidence supporting this correction can be found in the application which was filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on January 13, 2004, page 24, line 7.

Also, in column 17, line 22, Claim 7, before 'guide' insert --a--. Evidence supporting this correction can be found in the Examiner's Amendment, dated June 20, 2005, page 11, line 4, Claim 7.

Finally, in column 18, line 35, Claim 8, after the second occurrence of 'guide' delete " , ". Evidence supporting this correction can be found in the Examiner's Amendment, dated June 20, 2005, page 13, line 18, Claim 8.

Since the mistakes noted herein have been made by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, it is believed that no fee is required to file this Request for Certificate of Correction. It is respectfully requested that a Certificate of Correction be issued in the above-cited case correcting these errors at an early date.

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